

# The Daily Sun

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Governor Broward's inaugural address has been passed upon by the Florida editors and is universally endorsed and commended.

The friends of Dr. Dowie say he has proved himself to be a Christian by paying \$4,000,000 in debts. But what we want to know is, how could any man get hold of \$4,000,000 and still be a Christian?

The Sun gives the public all the county news and official proceedings of the school board and county commissioners. It also publishes the delinquent tax list and nearly all the legal sales. Take The Sun.

Now that the farmers are preparing their land for planting they should not neglect the corn, pindar and velvet bean crops. With plenty of hog and hominy they will be much better prepared to live at home.

Gainesville continues to grow at a rapid rate, there being more buildings in course of construction at present than at any time during the past five years. Every store room is occupied and not a residence is advertised for rent.

Editors Sherwood and Pound of The Live Oak Democrat are being sued for \$10,000 libel by Editor Culppepper of The Perry Herald. Just as we expected. The Democrat has been showing too much evidence of prosperity lately.

Governor Jennings is being highly praised, and justly so, for his course as governor during the four years ending January 3rd, and the entire State press wish him as great success in the banking business as he made of the administration of the people's affairs.

The St. Augustine Evening Record has recently been enlarged and improved until it is now one of the best daily papers that comes to our exchange table. We congratulate Manager D. E. Thompson and Editor Harry L. Brown upon their successful efforts.

Henry M. Flagler's great hotels on the East Coast are now open and being rapidly filled with tourists and those seeking benefit from Florida's balmy climate. He has been the State's greatest benefactor, and to him, more than to any other agency, is due the great progress of the past twelve years.

Well posted Democrats already predict that William Jennings Bryan will head the Democratic national ticket in 1908. Well, he could scarcely make a worse showing than Parker did, and if wheat and corn should take as great a "slump" about the year 1908 as cotton did in 1904 the Nebraskan would be the man for the occasion.

Florida is noted for its excellent weekly newspapers which from week to week convey local happenings. But Major George E. Butler of The Lake Butler Star belongs to be crowned the king of local paragraphers of the weekly press. His paper never fails to contain a full page of live local news, written in brief but interesting style. The Major could get out an interesting newspaper in a village inhabited by only a mule and his driver.

## OF INTEREST TO EX-CONFEDS.

There has been a general misunderstanding of the scope of the act of Congress proposing to pay ex-Confederates for horses and other property confiscated from them at the close of the war. The quartermaster-general, C. H. Humphrey, states in detail the manner in which claims are to be filed, no claims to be received later than April, 1906. The following regulations must be observed:

1. Each claimant must state his own claim under oath (the department furnishes no blank forms for the purpose) mailing it to the Quartermaster-General, United States Army, Washington, D. C.

2. In his affidavit he should state name, rank, company and the regiment in which he was serving at the time of the surrender, and by whom officered.

3. The date and place of surrender, and to whom surrendered.

4. That he was paroled at or after the surrender, naming the paroling officer, time and place. Written paroles, if in existence, should be filed with claims; otherwise, the sworn testimony of two credible persons (preferably soldiers) knowing the facts, must be submitted as proof.

5. That he was required to be mounted for the performance of his military duties, and that the property taken was his own and that it was being used in the Confederate service at the time of the surrender and was taken by United States troops, acting or presumably acting under orders, stating how, when and where (and by whom it is known) it was taken. State value of each horse or mule, saddle, bridle, blanket and side arms.

6. At least two credible persons (soldiers preferred) must corroborate all the claimant's statements in essential particulars, stating how their knowledge thereof was obtained.

7. If the soldier be dead, his widow may make the claim. If both be dead, his child, or children jointly; or if no children survive the soldier, a parent may make the claim. Allowance for only one horse and equipment is made to a private soldier, and two horses, equipment and side arms to a commissioned officer.

8. All statements by the claimant and witnesses must be under oath. The credibility of each must be certified to by the official before whom they make the oath and his official seal must be affixed to each affidavit.

Only three months and Gainesville will be in the throes of a municipal election, and if current reports be true it will be one of the "warmest" contests the old town has experienced for several years. Just at this time, however, personal feelings should be buried and those candidates voted for who are calculated to best promote the material and spiritual welfare of the city. Great things are in store for our people with the proper men to guide city affairs, but unless care is exercised by the voters a grave mistake may be made.

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The pardoning board refused to grant the petition for the liberation of James Williams, who murdered Mark D. Bartleson at Miami about three years ago and was sentenced to the penitentiary for life. It is said that Governor Terrell of Georgia strongly requested the pardon. Williams is reported to be one of the most valuable convicts now leased, being a fine book-keeper and accountant.

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A few Florida newspapers advocate giving the Railroad Commission more power. The present law is ample for all purposes, as it permits the commission to do everything that could be delegated by additional statute. The commission cannot interfere with railroad charges on interstate commerce, and if discrimination by the corporations in carrying charges between points within the State is not corrected it is the fault of the commission and not of the law. We believe the commission has acted for what was deemed best for all interests, but we confess that its establishment has not redounded materially to the commercial interests of interior towns. Many believe that as much could be accomplished by statute fixing freight and passenger rates as can possibly be accomplished by the commission, and the expense of the latter thereby saved to the tax-payers. It is not likely, however, that the experiment will be tried in the near future.

It is now practically certain that Judge Swayne will be impeached. It is not at all certain, though, just how long a Republican Senate will be about impeaching a Republican judge. The select committee appointed by the House to draft the articles of impeachment has preferred twelve charges, including obtaining money under false pretenses. Swayne is small in stature, but from all accounts he is a big rascal.

J. E. Low has sold The Green Cove Spring to H. M. Pride, an old and experienced newspaper man. While The Sun regrets to see Mr. Low retire from a work in which he has been so long engaged we welcome Mr. Pride to Florida journalism and trust that he will make The Spring the "Pride" of the State press.

It has been calculated that, taking the population of the whole world, there is one newspaper to every 82,600 persons. The United States support 12,500 newspapers, of which 2,000 are dailies, these being round figures. Germany has 5,500 journals of which 800 are daily.

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